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IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1287

BY RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO CITY IRRIGATION SYSTEMS; AMENDING SECTION 50-1801, IDAHO CODE,

TO AUTHORIZE CITIES TO ESTABLISH OR EXTEND A CITY IRRIGATION SYSTEM IN

THE WHOLE OR PART OF AN AREA OF CITY IMPACT PROVIDED AN ORDINANCE HAS

BEEN ADOPTED TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OR EXTENSION OF A CITY IR
RIGATION SYSTEM INTO THE CITY IMPACT AREA AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORREC
TIONS.

8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Section 50-1801, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

50-1801. CITY IRRIGATION SYSTEM AUTHORIZED. Any city within the state of Idaho is hereby authorized, in the whole or part of the city, to establish a city irrigation system and to extend the boundaries within which it will supply and deliver irrigation water; to acquire by purchase, contract, eminent domain or otherwise and to operate, maintain, construct, improve, enlarge and extend an irrigation system to supply water to a part or all of the lands, lots, parcels and pieces of real estate within the limits of such city; to acquire by appropriation, purchase, contract, eminent domain or by any other lawful means not herein enumerated any of the public or private waters of the state of Idaho whether such waters are surface or subterranean waters; to acquire, extend, enlarge, maintain and operate any canals, ditches, conduits and rights-of-way for ditches, canals and conduits by contract, deed, eminent domain or any other lawful means for the use of such city in supplying water to and distributing the same throughout the city. Any city within the state of Idaho is also authorized to establish or extend a city irrigation system in the whole or part of an area of city impact that has been established pursuant to section 67-6526, Idaho Code, and for which an ordinance has been adopted to provide for the establishment or extension of a city irrigation system into the city impact area.